

MINUTES

UTAH UNIFORM BUILDING CODE COMMISSION

November 19, 2020
9:00

Electronic Meeting

STAFF:

Robyn Barkdull, Bureau Manager
Steve Duncombe, Bureau Manager
Sharon Smalley, Board Secretary

COMMISSIONERS:

Christopher Jensen
Josh Blazzard
Casey Vorwaller
Travis Hales (absent)
Trent Hunt
Chad Flinders

Thomas Peterson
Art Anderson
Karl Mott
Kent Bush
Joseph Ligori

VISITORS:

David Smith
Rena Cowley
Chris Jensen, UL
Jason VanAusdal

Cara Lindsley
Robert Durfee
Jim McClintic
Steve Styler

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A motion was made by Trent Hunt to approve the minutes from the August 12, 2020 meeting as written. The motion was seconded by Joseph Ligori and passed unanimously.

REVIEW RECOMMENDATION FROM THE ELECTRICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

The Commission reviewed and made a recommendation on each of the proposed amendments individually.

IRC E3901.4.5 RECEPTACLE OUT- LET LOCATION

A motion was made by Karl Mott to approve the proposed amendment as modified by the Electrical Advisory Committee and forward it on to the Business and Labor Interim Committee. The motion was seconded by Trent Hunt and passed with a vote of nine in favor and Tom Peterson

abstaining.

NEC 210.8(A) Dwelling Units

A motion was made by Tom Peterson to accept the recommendation of the Electrical Advisory Committee and deny the proposal and to send it back to the Electrical Advisory Committee for further review and clarification when the 2021 IRC is reviewed. The motion was seconded by Karl Mott and passed unanimously.

NEC 210.8(A)(5) Basements

A motion was made by Tom Peterson to move the amendment forward to the Business and Labor Interim Committee as modified by changing the wording back to the wording in the 2017 NEC. The motion was seconded by Casey Vorwaller and passed unanimously.

NEC 210.8(F) Outdoor Outlets

A motion was made by Trent Hunt to deny the proposal. The motion was seconded by Karl Mott and failed with a vote of four in favor, five against and Art Anderson abstained. A motion was then made by Tom Peterson to approve the proposal and to move the amendment forward to the Business and Labor Interim Committee as modified by changing the wording back to the wording in the 2017 NEC. The motion was seconded by Joseph Ligori and passed unanimously.

NEC 210.12 Arc-fault Circuit
Interrupters (AFCI)

A motion was made by Casey Vorwaller to accept the recommendation of the Electrical Advisory Committee and deny the proposal. The motion was seconded Karl Mott and passed unanimously.

230.67 Surge Protection

A motion was made by Casey Vorwaller to forward the proposal to the Business and Labor Interim Committee with a favorable recommendation. The motion was seconded by Trent Hunt and passed unanimously.

230.85 Emergency Disconnects

A motion was made by Casey Vorwaller to accept the recommendation of the Electrical Advisory Committee and deny the proposal. The motion was seconded by Karl Mott and passed unanimously.

406.4(D)(4) Arc-fault Circuit Interrupters (AFCI) Receptacle Replacement

A motion was made by Kent Bush to accept the recommendation of the Electrical Advisory Committee and deny the proposal. The motion was seconded by Art Anderson and passed unanimously.

406.9(C) Bathtub and Shower Space

A motion was made by Casey Vorwaller to approved the proposal the to move the amendment forward to the Business and Labor Interim Committee as modified by changing the wording back to the wording in the 2017 NEC. The motion was seconded by Trent Hunt and passed with a vote of nine in favor and one against.

406.12 Tamper Resistant Receptacles

A motion was made by Art Anderson to accept the Electrical Advisory Committee's recommendation to deny the proposal. The motion was seconded by Karl Mott and passed unanimously.

15A-3-202 and 15A-3-206

A motion was made by Casey Vorwaller to forward on the Business and Labor Interim committee with a favorable recommendation. The motion was seconded by Joseph Logori and passed unanimously.

Make a recommendation to the Business and Labor Interim Committee

The Commission's recommendation will be as recommended on each proposed amendment as previously reviewed.

Review liaisons for advisory committees

The liaisons will remain the same as the previous year.

Robyn Barkdull informed the Commission that she is retiring in December and that Steve Duncombe will be taking over as the Bureau Manager.

The meeting adjourned at 11:4.

12/17/2020
Date Approved

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Casey T. Vorwaller
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Acting Chairperson, Uniform Building Code Commission

Robyn Barkdull
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Bureau Manager, Division of Occupational & Professional
Licensing